

CITY OF MIAMI BEACH
Office of the City Manager
Letter to Commission No. 164-2005



To: Mayor David Dermer and
Members of the City Commission

Date: June 16, 2005

From: Jorge M. Gonzalez
City Manager

Subject: EVALUATION COMMITTEE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) FOR PROGRAMMING, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS, PERMITTING, BID AND AWARD, AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN/GREENWAY PROJECTS TO BE KNOWN AS THE ATLANTIC GREENWAY NETWORK (AGN).

The City of Miami Beach is planning to develop a series of bicycle/pedestrian/greenway projects to be known as the Atlantic Greenway Network (AGN). The Atlantic Greenway Network is made up of two main trail systems; the Beach Corridors, which extend in a general northbound/southbound direction, running between the erosion control line and the dune system; and the Neighborhood Trails, which extend in a general east-west as well as north-south directions through the south, middle, and north beach neighborhoods. Individual projects will be constructed as part of the AGN Master Plan to create a continuous trail network allowing for alternative transportation and community enhancement.

The City has issued a RFQ for the programming, design, construction documents, permitting, bid and award, and construction management services for three segments of the Atlantic Greenway Network: Dade Boulevard Bike Path; Middle Beach Neighborhood Interconnector Trails; and the North Beach Interconnector Trails.

I am considering appointing the following individuals to serve on the Evaluation Committee for the above subject RFQ:

- Jack Ruiz, Miami Beach Bicycle Center
- Frederick C. Sake, Attorney, Resident of Miami Beach
- Fernando Vazquez, City Engineer, City of Miami Beach
- Jordanna Rubin, Environmental Resources Manager, City of Miami Beach
- Tom Mooney, Planning Department, City of Miami Beach

Should you have any questions or suggestions, please contact me by May 13, 2005.

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cc: Robert C. Middaugh, Assistant City Manager
Fred Beckmann, Public Works Director
Fernando Vazquez, City Engineer
Jordanna Rubin, Environmental Resources Manager

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